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"RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.113-  
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GROUP 2826"

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
FUMIO HORIGUCHI : EXAMINER: JOHANNES P. MONDT  
SERIAL NO: 10/762,470 :  
FILED: JANUARY 23, 2004 : GROUP ART UNIT: 2826  
FOR: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND :  
METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING THE  
SAME

AMENDMENT

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ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated August 24, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 9 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.

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SIR:  
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required  
☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.  
☒ Additional documents filed herewith: Letter Submitting Replacement Drawing Sheet, Replacement Drawing Sheet (1)

The Fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS	CLAIMS REMAINING		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID	NO. EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	CALCULATIONS
TOTAL	11	MINUS	20	0	x \$50 =	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT	3	MINUS	3	0	x \$200 =	\$0.00
		<input type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS			+ \$360 =	\$0.00
		TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS				\$0.00
		<input type="checkbox"/> Reduction by 50% for filing by Small Entity				\$0.00
		<input type="checkbox"/> Recordation of Assignment			+ \$40 =	\$0.00
		TOTAL				\$0.00

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